IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Jurgen DANNENMAIER et al.) Group Art Unit: 3761
Application No.: 10/595,705)) Examiner: Wiest, Philip R
Filed: April 12, 2007) Confirmation No.: 5049
For: FLUID DISTRIBUTION MODULE AND EXTRACORPOREAL BLOOD CIRCUIT INCLUDING SUCH A MODULE))))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the non-final Office Action mailed August 2, 2010, the period for response to which has been extended through February 2, 2011, by a request for extension of three (3) months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and reexamination of the above-identified application in light of the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this Reply.

Remarks begin on page 19 of this Reply.